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Greetings:

In accordance with SDCL 12-13-25.1, I submit the following proposed initiated measure in final form:

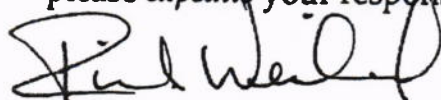
**BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:**

*That Title 10 be amended by adding a NEW SECTION to read:*

**Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the state may not tax the sale of anything sold for human consumption, except alcoholic beverages and prepared food. Municipalities may continue to impose such taxes.**

I ask the Attorney General to prepare the necessary title and explanation for this initiated measure. Per SDCL 2-9-30, I ask the Director of the Legislative Research Council to prepare the necessary fiscal note for it.

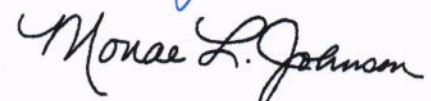
Because of the delay in our ability to begin collecting signatures caused by the Attorney General's misinterpretation of our previous submission on this subject, please *expedite* your response to this request. Thank you.



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